
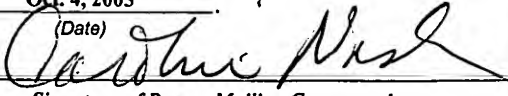


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Title: Novel method for the treatment of systemic lupus erythematosus					
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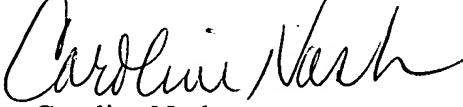
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Responsive to the Office Action dated August 9, 2005, Applicant's elect **Group I**,
with traverse.

A search of Group V would necessarily include a search for the subject matter in
Group **I**. No additional burden would be created for the Patent Office.

Respectfully submitted,


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